

RESOLUTION OF APPLICANT AUTHORIZING FILING OF  
APPLICATION FOR HISTORIC PRESERVATION GRANT

WHEREAS Section 709 of Title VII of the Housing Act of 1961, as amended, provides for the making of grants of Federal funds by the Secretary of Housing and Urban Development to States and local public bodies to assist in financing the acquisition of title to or other permanent interests in areas, sites, and structures of historic or architectural value in urban areas, and in their restoration and improvement for public use and benefit, in accord with the comprehensively planned development of the locality; and

WHEREAS the Boston Redevelopment Authority (herein sometimes referred to as "Applicant"), deems it necessary and in the public interest to undertake an historic preservation project (hereinafter called the "Project") with Federal grant assistance to improve and restore certain property for historic preservation located in the City of Boston, Suffolk County, Massachusetts, described as the George Francis Parkman House; and

WHEREAS title to or other permanent interests in said property have been previously acquired by the Applicant; and

WHEREAS it is estimated that the cost of said improvement and restoration will be \$208,000;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF THE BOSTON REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY

1. That an application be made to the Department of Housing and Urban Development for a grant in an amount authorized by Section 709 of Title VII of the Housing Act of 1961, as amended, which amount is presently estimated to be \$100,000, and that the Applicant will pay the balance of the cost from funds available to it.

2. That the Director of the Boston Redevelopment Authority is hereby on behalf of the Applicant authorized and directed to execute and to file such application, and an assurance of compliance with



the Department of Housing and Urban Development regulations under Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, to execute such contract or contracts as may be necessary for the grant applied for, to provide such information and furnish such documents as may be required by the Department of Housing and Urban Development, and to act as the authorized correspondent and representative of the Applicant in the accomplishment of the Project.

3. That the proposed Project is in accord with the comprehensively planned development of the locality, and that, should said grant be made, the Applicant will retain, maintain and preserve said property for public use and benefit and for the historic preservation purposes designated in said application and approved by the Department of Housing and Urban Development.

4. That the United States of America and the Secretary of Housing and Urban Development be, and they hereby are, assured of full compliance by the Applicant with regulations of the Department of Housing and Urban Development effectuating Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 and with Federal requirements relating to equal employment opportunity.

5. That the United States of America and the Secretary of Housing and Urban Development be, and they hereby are, assured of full compliance by the Applicant with the Federal labor standards imposed under Title VII of the Housing Act of 1961, as amended.

MEMORANDUM

JULY 10, 1969

TO: BOSTON REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY

FROM: HALE CHAMPION, DIRECTOR

SUBJECT: Resolution authorizing filing an application with HUD  
for Grant to assist in Restoration of the George Francis  
Parkman House.

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At the regular meeting June 19, 1969, the Board voted to authorize the Director to file an application with HUD to provide funds to assist in the restoration of the George Francis Parkman House on Beacon Hill.

The Department of Housing and Urban Development has acknowledged the application. However, they have requested the Board to adopt the attached Resolution in lieu of the vote.

The Resolution follows.

Attachment

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